

FACSIMILE COVER SHEET**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****FEB 23 2005**

**RITTER, LANG & KAPLAN LLP
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
12930 Saratoga Ave., Suite D1
Saratoga, CA 95070
Tel: 408-446-8690
Fax: 408-446-8691**

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTE

The information contained in this facsimile (FAX) message is legally privileged and confidential information intended only for the use of the receiver or firm named below. If the reader of this message is not the intended receiver, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or copy of this FAX is strictly prohibited. If you have received this FAX in error, please immediately notify the sender at the telephone number provided above and return the original message to the sender at the address above via the United States Postal Service. Thank you.

Date: February 23, 2005

To: Examiner Kamini S. Shah
Group Art Unit: 2142
Fax No.: (703) 872-9306

Re: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/976,627
Filed: October 12, 2001
Applicants: Ramesh Radhakrishnan et al.
Docket No: CISCP717
Attorney: Peggy A. Su

Attached:

- 1) Transmittal Form (1 pg);
- 2) Amendment A (13 pgs).

Total Pages (including cover sheet) 15

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by
facsimile (703-872-9306) to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 23, 2005.
Signed: Diane Elzinger
Diane Elzinger

****PLEASE CONFIRM RECEIPT OF THIS FACSIMILE BY RETURN FACSIMILE****

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

PTO/SB/21 (08-03)

Please type a plus sign (+) inside this box →

Approved for use through 8/30/2003. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

TRANSMITTAL FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

Total Number of Pages in This Submission

Application Number	09/976,627
Filing Date	October 12, 2001
First Named Inventor	Ramesh Radhakrishnan
Group Art Unit	2142
Examiner Name	Kamini S. Shah
Attorney Docket Number	CISCP717

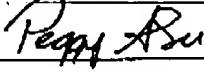
ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to Group
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment / Reply	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Group (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)
<input type="checkbox"/> After Final	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information
<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address	<input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer	<input type="checkbox"/> Return Postcard
<input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below):
<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement	<input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application		
<input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53		

Remarks The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees to Deposit Account 50-1652.

In response to the Office Action mailed November 29, 2004, please make the enclosed of record.

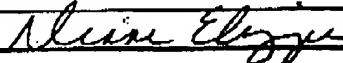
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm and Individual name	RITTER, LANG & KAPLAN LLP Peggy A. Su Reg. No. 41,336	
Signature		
Date	February 23, 2005	

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted (703-872-8306) to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below:

February 23, 2005

Typed or printed name	Diane Elzingre	
Signature		Date
	February 23, 2005	

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 0.2 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted (703-872-9306) to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on February 23, 2005.

Signed:

Diane Blazinge

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appln. No. : 09/976,627 Confirmation No.: 1647

Applicant : Ramesh RADHAKRISHNAN et al.

Filed : October 12, 2001

TC/A.U. : 2142

Examiner : Kamini S. SHAH

Docket No. : CISCP717

Customer No. : 26541

Title : ARQ (AUTOMATIC REPEAT REQUEST) FOR BROADBAND
FIXED WIRELESS NETWORK**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****FEB 23 2005**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT A

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

**This Page is Inserted by IFW Indexing and Scanning
Operations and is not part of the Official Record**

BEST AVAILABLE IMAGES

Defective images within this document are accurate representations of the original documents submitted by the applicant.

Defects in the images include but are not limited to the items checked:

- BLACK BORDERS**
- IMAGE CUT OFF AT TOP, BOTTOM OR SIDES**
- FADED TEXT OR DRAWING**
- BLURRED OR ILLEGIBLE TEXT OR DRAWING**
- SKEWED/SLANTED IMAGES**
- COLOR OR BLACK AND WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS**
- GRAY SCALE DOCUMENTS**
- LINES OR MARKS ON ORIGINAL DOCUMENT**
- REFERENCE(S) OR EXHIBIT(S) SUBMITTED ARE POOR QUALITY**
- OTHER:** _____

IMAGES ARE BEST AVAILABLE COPY.

As rescanning these documents will not correct the image problems checked, please do not report these problems to the IFW Image Problem Mailbox.